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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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FOR HIGH DENSITY DRIVE

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REQUEST FOR NON-ENTRY OF AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated December 18, 2003, an amendment was filed on February 18, 2004. An Advisory Action dated March 17, 2004 indicated that said amendment was not entered. A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) was recently submitted on April 19, 2004 with a response and amendment.

In connection with the RCE, Applicant requests non-entry of the earlier unentered amendment filed on February 18, 2004.

Respectfully submitted,



Dated: April 20, 2004

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